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**When you were a student, what types of careers interested you?
What led you to choose asset management/working with Invesco?**

I started as a music major in university and was hoping to become an orchestral musician. As time went on, I took some business classes and discovered that I had more of an ability in management than in performance. Eventually I earned my MBA as part of a non-profit management program in Cincinnati. After, I moved to Atlanta and secured my first role with Invesco, which has led to others positions during my 16 years with the firm.

What are some of your personal passions outside your career?

I'm an avid traveler, and I love to experience new places as often as I can. I'm quite active within the gay sports community. I first started playing soccer (football) for a team in Atlanta, but an injury forced me stop playing. After that, friends brought me to a water polo training session, and it just stuck. I'm a goalie, and I first joined a team in Atlanta, then Paris. Currently, I play for London Orca, the water polo team of Out to Swim, and we are gearing up to participate in Gay Games X in Paris. It takes place in August of this year, and 36 water polo teams from around the world will compete in two divisions. This will be the largest number of teams ever to participate in water polo for the event.

What it's like to work at Invesco?

Invesco is a great place to work. It can be stressful at times when there are many deliverables due in a tight time frame, but there is a great deal of support from management at all levels. It's been exciting to work first in Atlanta, then Paris, then London/Henley and currently Frankfurt. Despite working in many locations, I have found a similar atmosphere at each one. Across the firm, we are very familial, and offer a lot of support and opportunities.



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